

Boston,

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Dear Mr Garrison;

I return N. Barney's note, with thanks. My father, mother, & wife all enjoyed it highly. I almost never heard father commend the wording, the expression, of a letter so much. ^(N. Barney) He is most emphatic in regard to F. J.'s approval of the use of his money. I didn't see that line until today.

E. D. Draper stopped me in the street to-day, to tell me of his delight in your letter of vindication, which he thought complete. He said Adin Ballou pronounced it a perfect vindication & unanswerable. Such must be the verdict of unbiassed minds, with few if any exceptions.

Truly Yours

J. May Jr

Mr. Sewall said to me today that W. Phillips ought to honor the Supreme Court instead of denouncing it; for ^{Mr. Sewall} he thought they had respected F. J.'s wishes & carried them out more completely than any other Court in the Nation would have done in the case.

